

Georgia Performance Standards Curriculum Map for Social Studies Fourth Grade

The suggested times for this map are approximate and can be adjusted; however, the sequence of instruction should not be altered. Teachers should adhere to the guide as closely as possible and notify the Department of Student Learning of any concerns or suggestions for improvement. The fourth grade curriculum map is based on 33 weeks of instructional time to allow for breaks, assessments, review, and acceleration.

1 st 9 weeks		2 nd 9 weeks		3 rd 9 weeks		4 th 9 weeks	
<u><i>Unit 1</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 2</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 3</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 4</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 5</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 6</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 7</i></u>	<u><i>Unit 8</i></u>
<u>Connecting Themes in Fourth Grade Social Studies</u>	<u>The Discovery of North America</u>	<u>The Colonization of North American</u>	<u>Forming a New Nation</u>	<u>Challenges of a New Nation</u>	<u>Expansion of a New Nation</u>	<u>Our American Government</u>	<u>Being a Responsible Spender by Learning from Our Past</u>
2 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	7 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks
*Though there are no specific standards associated with this unit, it is a critical piece of the instructional program.	H1a,b H2a,b G1a G2a,b E1a Map Skills:6,8 Info Skills: 5,7,13	H3a,b G2c E1b-d Map Skills 6,8,11,12 Info Skills: 13	H4a-d G2d CG1a Map Skills: 6,7,8,10,11,12 Info Skills 5,6,7,17	H5a,b,d,e H7a,b CG1b CG5 E1e Map Skills: 7,11 Info 5,7,11	H6a,b G1b G2e E1f Map Skills: 6,7,8,10,11,12 Info Skills: 5,7,11	H5c CG1c CG2 CG3a-e CG4a,b Map Skills: None Info Skills: 5,7,11	E1a-f E2 Map Skills: None Info Skills: 5,7,11
Ongoing Standards:	Habits of Mind, Nature of Science **A review of states and capitals is reserved for the end of the year. This is to prepare them for 5 th grade concepts.						